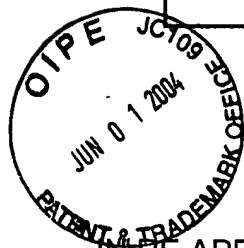


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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated December 2, 2003 finally rejecting claims 41 to 47 and claims 50 to 66.

- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company in the amount of \$330 for payment of the appeal fee. An additional copy of this paper is enclosed herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 19-3880 in the name of Bristol-Myers Squibb Company.
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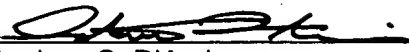
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☒ Enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time.

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